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Rep. Harkins Achieves Perfect Voting, Attendance Record



State Representative John Harkins (R-Stratford) achieved a perfect voting and attendance record in the state House of Representatives for the 2005 Legislative Sessions, according to records compiled by the clerk of the House of Representatives.

According to a statistical summary recently released by the General Assembly's House Clerks Office, Rep Harkins is one of only 25 House lawmakers to record a 100 percent voting and attendance record during the 2005 legislative sessions. There are 151 members in the state House of Representatives.

"I have always made serving the people of Stratford my utmost priority," said Rep. Harkins, who serves as an Assistant Minority Leader. "I will continue to fight against tax increases and special interest groups who are only concerned with themselves and continue working for open and honest government that must be held accountable. Serving is a privilege and an honor. I am grateful to the people of Stratford for allowing me to represent them."

Rep. Harkins' 100 percent attendance record also reflects his commitment to his committee work. He maintains an excellent attendance record as a member of the Legislature's Transportation Committee, Insurance and Real Estate Committee and Banks Committee.